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SAFESTAT REPORT

Nevada Highway Patrol

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Overview

This report contains the summary of SAFESTAT totals for each of the Field Operations Commands within the Nevada Highway Patrol. For detailed analysis of the statistics and information on each command, refer to the monthly report for the individual command.

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CRASH ANALYSIS AND OVERVIEW

	September 2003	September 2002	% Change	August 2003	% Change
Total Crashes	1506	1361	10.7%	1512	-0.4%
Property Crashes [including commercial vehicles]	1061	911	16.5%	1061	0.0%
Injury Crashes [including commercial vehicles]	439	433	1.4%	435	0.9%
Fatal Crashes [including commercial vehicles]	6	17	-64.7%	16	-62.5%
DUI Crashes [DUI charged]	50	55	-9.1%	72	-30.6%
Total persons killed in fatal crashes	6	22	-72.7%	17	-64.7%
Total drivers killed without seatbelts	1	8	-87.5%	5	-80.0%
Total passengers killed without seatbelts	1	3	-66.7%	5	-80.0%
Total drivers killed with seatbelts	2	5	-60.0%	5	-60.0%
Total passengers killed with seatbelts	1	4	-75.0%	0	100.0%
Total number of commercial vehicle crashes	7	5	40.0%	122	-94.3%
Property crashes involving commercial vehicle	108	84	28.6%	95	13.7%
Injury crashes involving commercial vehicle	76	58	31.0%	23	230.4%
Fatal crashes involving commercial vehicle	24	22	9.1%	4	500.0%

FIELD ENFORCEMENT ACTIVITY

[Analysis and review of current reporting period, versus same period in previous fiscal year, versus previous reporting period]

	September 2003	September 2002	% Change	August 2003	% Change
DUI arrests from crashes	50	55	-9.1%	72	-30.6%
DUI arrests <i>prior</i> to crashes	221	306	-27.8%	266	-16.9%
Other Arrests	1373	1598	-14.1%	1358	1.1%
Total persons arrested (DUI included)	575	693	-17.0%	610	-5.7%
Speed violations	6844	6834	0.1%	7436	-8.0%
Hazardous moving violations	3341	3084	8.3%	3108	7.5%
Occupant restraint violations *	1232	869	41.8%	1098	12.2%
Total violations** [above violations included]	18433	17156	7.4%	18266	0.9%
Commercial Enforcement					
Hazardous moving violatons - citations/arrests	115	116	-0.9%	115	0.0%
Other traffic violations - citations/arrests	240	300	-20.0%	196	22.4%
Total safety inspections [level 1, 2, 3. 4. & 6]	1805	1233	46.4%	1475	22.4%
Terminal inspections [level 5]	22	133	-83.5%	3	633.3%
Total safety violations citation	922	725	27.2%	840	9.8%
Total safety violations repair order	4296	3934	9.2%	3711	15.8%
Total vehicles placed "Out of Service"	213	233	-8.6%	209	1.9%
Total drivers placed "Out of Service"	94	98	-4.1%	93	1.1%
Total school buses inspected	343	234	46.6%	320	7.2%
Total school buses placed "Out of Service"	42	29	44.8%	30	40.0%
Total trucks weighed	1132	1175	-3.7%	564	100.7%
Total overweight citations	132	100	32.0%	51	158.8%
Total dyed fuel inspections	1909	244	682.4%	1306	46.2%
Total dyed fuel citations	5	3	66.7%	1	400.0%

^{*} Seat belt and child restraint

^{**} Total violations includes Speed, Hazardous, Occupant Restraint, Registration, Drivers License, Insurance and Other categories.